Mountain Weather Forecast

Snowdonia National Park

Forecast valid from 06:00 on Thursday 17 Sep 2020 until 23:59 on Friday 18 Sep 2020

Forecast Issued on Thursday 17 Sep 2020 at 01:35

Confidence: High confidence for dry and settled conditions to dominate until at least the end of the weekend. Moderate confidence on wind strengths.

Headline for Thursday 17 Sep 2020: Any early cloud dispersing to leave a mostly sunny day.

Mountain weather hazards on Thursday 17 Sep 2020

Blizzards No Likelihood	**Heavy Snow** No Likelihood	**Storm force winds** No Likelihood
Gales No Likelihood	**Severe chill effect** No Likelihood	**Poor visibility** No Likelihood
Thunderstorms No Likelihood	**Heavy persistent rain** No Likelihood	**Strong sunlight** Medium Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 800m					
Time					
06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Sunny	Sunny	Sunny	Sunny	Clear night	Clear night
Precipitation probability					
<05%	<05%	<05%	<05%	<05%	<05%

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Weather: A few mist patches possible at first. Any mist quickly clearing during the morning with blue skies and mostly sunny skies dominating, and leading to a fine autumnal day.

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 800m: 60% becoming near 100%. One or two eastern slopes will see some cloud above 500m, quickly lifting and clearing around mid-morning. Otherwise, a largely cloud-free day.

Visibility: Generally very good with hills and landmarks at considerable distance visible outside of any early cloud. A slight haze at lower levels is expected, especially early and late in the day.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph) Wind Direction (blowing from)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
900	8/10 E	10/15 E	15/21 E	11/16 SE	11/17 E	17/26 E	16/22 E
600	8/10 E	9/13 E	13/19 E	10/15 SE	10/16 E	14/23 E	14/22 E
300	7/10 SE	7/12 SE	10/18 SE	8/14 SE	7/16 E	11/22 E	10/20 E
Valley	8/10 SE	7/12 SE	10/18 SE	8/14 SE	8/15 E	11/21 SE	11/20 SE

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
900	10/9	10/8	11/8	13/10	11/9	10/6	9/5
600	12/11	12/11	14/12	15/14	14/12	12/10	12/9
300	14/13	14/13	17/15	18/16	16/14	14/12	12/10
Valley	15/14	16/14	18/16	19/18	17/16	15/13	13/11
Freezing Level*	2900m	2900m	2900m	2900m	2800m	2800m	2600m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Meteorologist's View

Despite being mid-September, UV levels will be slightly higher than usual brining a chance of sunburn. Otherwise a fine autumnal day, but likely feeling rather cool on in the wind the tops.

Forecast for Friday 18 Sep 2020

Weather: After a chilly start to the morning it will be another dry and largely sunny day with little if any in the way of cloud.

Maximum wind: Easterly 20-25mph gusting 30-40mph throughout

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 800m: 80% becoming 100%, with any early cloud at around 600m soon clearing through the morning. All tops then clear.

Visibility: Generally very good with hills and landmarks at considerable distance visible outside of any early cloud. A slight haze at lower levels is expected, especially early and late in the day.

Temperature: **Valleys:** Plus 4 Celsius, rising to Plus 19 Celsius.
At 800m: Plus 5 Celsius rising to Plus 12 Celsius.
Freezing level: Above the summits.

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